


<b>UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT</b> SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION		<b>PROOF OF CLAIM</b> (Secured)		United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District of Texas <b>FILED</b>	
In Re: STAGE STORES, INC.		Case Number: <b>00-35078-H2-11</b> Chapter: <b>11</b>		<b>JUL 20 2000</b>  <b>Michael N. Milby, Clerk</b>	
Name of Creditor: <b>HENDERSON ISD</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Check if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim.  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if you have never received any noticed from the bankruptcy court in this case.  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if the address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.			
Name/Address Where Notices Should Be Sent:					
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Number by which creditor identifies debtor:		This claim		court use only	
See Attached Exhibits		<input type="checkbox"/> replaces <input type="checkbox"/> amends a previously filed claim, dated: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> supplements			
<b>1. BASIS FOR CLAIM:</b>		<b>AD VALOREM TAXES</b>			
<b>2. DATE DEBT WAS INCURRED:</b>		January 1 of each tax year, pursuant to Sections 32.01 and 32.07 of the Texas Property Tax Code.			
<b>3. CLASSIFICATION OF CLAIM:</b>		Secured claim to extent of collateral value. Unsecured Priority claim [11 U.S.C. 507 (a)(8)] to extent of any shortfall in collateral value and for personal liability. Secured by Tax Lien §§ 32.01 and 32.07 of the Texas Property Tax Code.			
<b>4. TOTAL AMOUNTS OF CLAIM:</b>		\$ 0.00 (Unsecured)	+ \$ 6,108.67 (Secured)	+ \$ 0.00 (Priority)	= \$ 6,108.67 (Total)
Plus interest accruing pursuant to Texas Property Tax Code §33.01 as allowed under 11 U.S.C. §506(b)					
Make checks payable to:		<b>HENDERSON ISD</b>			
Mail payments to:		P. O. BOX 333 HENDERSON, TX 75653			
<b>5. CREDITS AND SETOFFS:</b>		The amount of the payments on this claim has been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this proof of claim. In filing this claim, claimant has deducted all amounts that claimant owes to debtor.			
<b>6. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:</b>		Attached			
DATE: JUL 11, 2000				court use only	
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Penalty for presenting fraudulent claim: Fine up to \$500,000 or imprisonment up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 3571					

HENDERSON I.S.D.  
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TAX RECEIPT - REPRINT

RECEIPT NO. 1022

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PROPERTY DESCRIPTION	YEAR	VALUE	TAX RATE	TAX	PENALTY & INTEREST	TOTAL AMOUNT
90405-46022-36811-000000 PAR-36811 L1 TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY 372480 P HEN/US 79 S/* .000 AC	1999 SCHOOL	372480	1.64000	6108.67	.00	6,108.67
25724						
BEALLS #1* % HARDING & CARBONE, INC 3903 BELLAIRE BLVD HOUSTON TX 77025-1119	02/03/2000 JM REG# - 015 CHECK # 599953				PEN/INT PAID TOTAL PAID .00 FEB 2000 6,108.67 EFFECTIVE: JAN 2000 THIS IS A RECEIPT. DO NOT PAY. PAID BY: STAGE STORES, INC.	

ESTIMATED TAX FOR 2000

\$ 6,108.67

EXHIBIT 1

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